

## CITY AFFAIRS.

ADVERTISERS will take notice that we cannot engage that any advertisement, sent to THE NEWS office at a later hour than half-past nine o'clock at night will appear in the next morning's paper. An exception to this rule is made in favor of notices of meetings, deaths and funerals.

## Meetings This Day.

Washington Light Infantry Charitable Association, at 8 P. M.

## Auction Sales This Day.

R. M. Marshall & Brother will sell at half-past 10 o'clock, at their office, a saddle and draft mare.

DEATH.—Mrs. S. McCall, consort of the late McComb McCall, one of the oldest residents of Marlboro', died at her residence, on Hon. W. D. Johnson's place, at Dunahoe, on the 6th instant, in her 64th year.

THE JUNE CONVENTION.—We understand that Mr. John H. Devereux has informed Captain Walter, the president of the late Reform mass meeting, that the pressure of important business engagements, which forbid his absence from the city, will prevent him from serving as a delegate to the June Convention. The vacancy thus created will be filled by Captain Walter in accordance with the resolution of the meeting, and the name of the appointee will be announced in due time.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.—Governor Scott announced the following appointments: S. C. J. McCall, district attorney, Greenville; W. C. J. McCall, trial justice, Barnwell County; W. B. Coleman, commissioner of deeds, New York; D. M. T. Hoff, notary public, Charleston; Wm. Sumter and A. J. Ransier, trial justices for Newberry; Samuel F. Cooper, Edward R. Lesene, Edward J. Parker, David Dukes and Melvin J. Hirsch, trial justices for Williamsburg County; W. H. Sligh, trial justice, Richland. The appointment of E. M. Seabrook, trial justice for Beaufort, has been revoked.

FOR CONGRESS.—Major J. E. Bacon, of Edgefield, having been nominated by Congress from the Third Congressional District, has accepted the nomination. In his card, Major Bacon, referring to his political views, says: "I cannot better express them in general than by reference to and endorsement of the resolutions of the late Press Convention in Columbia. The consummation devoutly to be wished is the hearty co-operation of all classes of the community, regardless of color or previous condition, in order to relieve the people from the onerous burden of taxation so recklessly and cumulatively cast upon them; to inaugurate an economical reform of the finances, and to expose and denounce the corruption now rioting and fattening in the high places."

FIRE IN THE COUNTRY.—The Edgemoor Advertiser says that the dwelling and smoke-house of Mr. Walter Shealy, at Batesville, was burned down on Sunday night.

The kitchen and another out-house on the premises of Mr. Joseph Wylie, near Lewisville, also occupied by J. Newton Whitesides, were destroyed by fire on the night of Tuesday, 10th inst. It is supposed that the fire caught accidentally from the stove pipe attached to the cooking stove. Loss about \$400. No insurance.

The kitchen of Mr. John Smith, on Broad River, was burned on the morning of the 13th instant, between one and two o'clock. The kitchen was in close proximity to the residence of Mr. Smith, and the fire had made so much progress before it was discovered, that the flames could not be arrested. The residence was badly scorched, but through the handsome conduct and energy of the freedmen-employees on Mr. Smith's place—it was saved.

HOME INDUSTRY AT THE SOUTH.—The New York Evening Post editorially says: "The ladies of Beaufort, in South Carolina, whom the effects of the civil war deprived of their possessions, have turned their attention to a branch of industry from which they hope to derive the means of subsistence. They make the green oranges which are produced on the plantations into preserves, and send them to the North for a market. They are skillfully prepared—we may presume that the makers learned the art in better days—and are making out pretty well in glass jars. A letter from a lady living before us says: James Lowndes, Esq., an excellent young lawyer of Charleston, S. C., will gladly act as the agent of the ladies of Beaufort, and receive orders, forward the sweetmeats, &c. The price of the sweetmeats in jars is two dollars, and the cost of the express on a dozen of them is two dollars and fifty cents. There are about ten varieties of these preserves, all excellent. When the making of them comes to be a recognized branch of industry, and the makers get some capital, they will be cheaper."

THE MISSION AT THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH.—The mission at the Cathedral Church, conducted by the Rev. Father Garesche, S. J., ends to-day. Father Garesche has preached three times a day during the mission, and his fervid eloquence has drawn to the chapel many who, for years, have taken no active part in the ceremonies of the Catholic Church.

The lectures at the morning services have been rather familiar than formal in their character, being chiefly addressed to the elucidation of different points of church discipline. Father Garesche has at his command a wealth of anecdote and illustration, which he uses with admirable taste and fine effect. The sermons at night were larger in their scope, and in them Father Garesche poured out the rich store of his knowledge and piety with splendid force. One great characteristic of Father Garesche's preaching is his evident earnestness. He carries home his burning words to the hearts of his "every hearer. Nor is there anything in his expressions which should lead us to suppose that he is a non-Catholic. This zealous defender of his church, himself a convert, knows what consideration is due to those who differ from him in belief. Argument and pleading, not invective and reproach, are the means which he employs for stimulating the devotion of his own flock, and there is neither bitter speech nor angry condemnation for Christians of other communions.

UNITED STATES COURT.—HON. GEORGE S. BRYAN, JUDGE PRESIDING.—The following business was transacted yesterday:

District Court.—Ex parte R. C. Wright, et al. in re H. H. Kinard. Petition for payment of preferred claims. Referred back to registrar for further papers.

Ex parte J. A. Crowell, et al. in re J. F. Kennedy. Petition of creditors to have orders for final discharge rescinded. Rule issued returnable on 31st instant.

Ex parte Cochran, McLean & Co., in re McCarthy & Roy. Petition for involuntary bankruptcy. Debtors ordered to show cause on 31st instant.

Admiralty Court.—The steamer Emily vs. the brig Melrose. After argument, ordered that the marshal sell the tackle, &c., and cargo, on Wednesday, the 25th instant, and pay the proceeds of the sale into court to satisfy further orders.

Chancery Court.—In equity W. H. Wilson vs. W. J. Seavey and W. P. Zealy. Order for conveyance of real estate.

Inquiry Docket.—Morris, Wheeler & Co. vs. John Alexander & Co. Assumpsit. Decree of \$530.12 for plaintiff, with interest from January 9, 1861.

## Hotel Arrivals—May 20.

CHARLESTON HOTEL.  
Schiller, J. F. Harding, Hamburg, S. C.; Williams, New Orleans; H. M. Drake, Wilmington, N. C.; S. Bliss, Mrs. J. Ridgway, C. Walter, wife, two children and servant; R. Namee, C. D. Bliss, J. McCullough, H. B. Boody, A. Frisbie, New York.

PAVILION HOTEL.  
W. Morgan, J. Creighton, Philadelphia; N. B. Wilson, J. D. Walker, South Carolina; P. K. Hill, Baltimore; G. Foster, Wadmalaw; J. W. Ballard, Northeastern Railroad.

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## DRAMATIC GOSSIP.

Mobile is delighted at the prospect of having its theatre remodelled and renovated.

The Richings English Opera Troupe are drawing good houses in Baltimore.

Old John Robinson's Circus still hangs out in Georgia. He seeks his harvest in the smaller towns, which don't say much for the circus.

The Berger Family of Bell Ringers last week concluded a brilliant engagement in New Orleans, and are at present in Mobile, on their return trip to New York.

There are at present thirty-two circuses and menageries in the United States, giving employment to over seven thousand men and horses, representing a capital of two million dollars.

A French opera troupe came to grief in Mobile last week. If they should have good luck elsewhere, says a Mobile paper, their chances for starving to death are decidedly good.

The title of Mr. Robertson's last play, "M. P." (which has achieved a very marked success) could hardly be surpassed in point of brevity, unless, perchance, the next hero of the play might be an intense egotist, and so justify the drama in which he figures being entitled "I."

Footlights which burn downwards are in use at several of the London theatres. The plan is not patented, and so is available for general use. Besides affording absolute security, these lights possess the advantage of entirely removing the unpleasant vapor arising from the combustion of the gas.

A grand benefit was given at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, Monday night, to the veteran actor, George Holland, in which a number of the leading actors of America participated. Among the incidents of the occasion was a presentation to the beneficiary of a magnificent bouquet, made of greenbacks.

Sothorn, the actor, who snubbed the snobbish officers of a British regiment who dined with him at Edinburgh, and then pressed him beyond endurance to give them a taste of his style. He commenced the drunken scene from "David Garrick," when, to the astonishment of all present, he swept the cloth clean of the table, smashing glasses, deconstructing plates, &c., wholesale.

"WALKING DOWN BROADWAY," the stranger sees nothing so attractive as the great blazing dollar store, with its young and fair saleswomen, and its endless piles of merchandise, embracing every conceivable article, all the articles, not the girls—for sale at the uniform and contemptibly low price of \$1. Well, we are to have a dollar store in Charleston, just as bright and beautiful as its big brother in New York.

The large establishment on King street, just above Wentworth, lately occupied by Macaulay, Williams & Parker, has been fitted up for the purpose, regardless of expense, and the grand opening and exhibition will take place on Monday next. See advertisement.

CRUMBS.—The celebration of the fifteenth amendment at Oakley Depot to-day, promises to be something extra, as the big guns of the Republican party will be on hand, and explain to their ignorant and credulous hearers that corruption is a myth and bribery a thing unheard of among our model legislators.

The street inspector is making some marked improvements on the streets up-town. The bed of the streets is cleared of the dust, which is used to fill up the sidewalks in the low grounds of the northeast section.

The Cannonsboro' bridge is now being repaired, and the travel on the Rutledge street line has been interrupted, though the passengers are taken across the break, the cars waiting at either side.

At a meeting of the Grand National Guard, held on Wednesday evening, May 18, the following officers were unanimously elected: J. H. Stewart, captain; Ely Gaskins, first lieutenant; Louis Hill, second lieutenant.

A dispute arose on Monday, a few miles from the city, between Philip Wallace and L. Richardson, during which the latter seized a heavy iron shovel and struck the former with its edge on the left shoulder, inflicting a serious wound. Richardson was arrested yesterday morning, and in default of bail will be sent to jail.

Dolly A. Wingard, an inmate of the Orphan-house, about six years of age, was carried yesterday while playing on the grounds, by her mother, who it is alleged, is unable to support her. The matron notified the police of the fact, and Private Nipson went to the mother's residence, found the child and carried her back to the Orphan-house.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL.—DRAWING OF JURORS.—A meeting of Council was called last night for the purpose of drawing jurors to serve in connection with those drawn by the sheriff, clerk of the court and county commissioners. No other business of importance was transacted.

Present, the Mayor, Aldermen Geddings, Cunningham, Hampton, Collins, Volt, Small, Barrow, Brown, E. P. Wall, L. F. Wall and McKinlay. The following grand, petit and pleas jurors were drawn by Aldermen Volt and Hampton:

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